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PADUCAH, KY., WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 23, 1906.

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HUMANE SOCIETY READY FOR WORK

Thomas Sanders is Elected to
Special Office.

Will Have Police Power to Arrest Persons Guilty of Cruelty to Animals.

CO-OPERATION OF CITIZENS

Thomas Sanders was last night made special officer for the Paducah Humane society and will enter into the duties of the office at once.

The society recently organized and intends to prosecute all cases of cruelty to animals. Mr. Sanders will investigate all cases reported to him or the society and will in turn report to the attorney for the society, Mr. H. S. Corbett. If the evidence is deemed strong enough the attorney will institute a vigorous prosecution.

Members of the society will take it as a favor from all who report any case of cruelty to it, either to members or the special agent.

DRIVEN FROM PULPIT.

Indiana Minister Calls Bible "Dead Letter" and is Attacked.

Nashville, Ind., May 23.—A religious meeting in the church on Lucas Ridge, south of this city, came to an end suddenly last night when Rev. George Porter was egged from his pulpit and pursued for more than a mile by angry members of the congregation because he declared that "the Bible is a dead letter." Several eggs hit the minister and his pulpit was much splattered before he decided on retreat.

WHOLE TOWN IS TO BE MOVED.

Railroad Company Will Transplant Village With Its Station.

St. Paul, May 23.—The entire town of Winnipeg Junction is to be moved a mile across the prairie by the Northern Pacific railway company. The 200 villagers protested when they learned that the company had decided to move the station, and to avoid trouble the railway officials agreed to move every building and furnish new lots for the old ones free of charge.

ASKS \$261 FOR TREATING DOG.

Veterinarian Demands High Fee for Restoring Pet's Health.

Milwaukee, May 23.—George P. Miller was sued today for \$261.09 by "Doc" Redd, a negro dog doctor, who asserts he spent 186 days in restoring Mr. Miller's St. Bernard to health. Miller refuses to pay because, he says, Redd lost another of his dogs. Redd claims this was a "no account pup" and says he replaced it with one of his own worth more.

Duel to Death.

Stamford, Texas, May 23.—Henry Boyd rode to the home of Lewis Carmel last evening and was met at the gate by Carmel. Both began shooting. The first shot fired by Carmel took effect in Boyd's breast. Boyd fired at Carmel, after being hit, without effect. Boyd died in a few minutes.

Lumber Yard Destroyed.

Terre Haute, Ind., May 23.—The Reese-Snyder lumber yard, located in the heart of the city, suffered a loss of about \$100,000 by fire early this morning. The plant practically was destroyed. Millions of shingles were burned.

People After Council.

Maysville, Ky., May 23.—The council last night turned down a proposition to grant a franchise to supply the city with natural gas for 30 cents a thousand. People are talking of a mass meeting to demand that the council grant the franchise.

Continuous Racing Will Promote Pauperism and Crime in Cities.

Louisville, Ky., May 23.—Attorneys representing the Kentucky Racing commission filed in the federal court an answer to the petition of the Douglass Park Jockey club of Louisville for an injunction to prevent the commission from in any manner interfering with the proposed race meeting at Douglass Park.

The answer says in part: "They (the racing commissioners) say that no community of the size of the city of Louisville and its environments, and no place in Kentucky, can afford or will patronize continuous racing. The defendants further say that the giving or holding of continuous racing in any community circumstances

The circulation of The Sun for the month of April was 4,018, a day average.

Business instinct tells you that it is the paper that tells its circulation daily that merits your confidence.

VOLIVA COLONY MAY MOVE TO CANADA IF HE LOSES

Chicago, Ill., May 23.—Plans are being laid by Wilbur Glenn Voliva and his followers for a new Zion, which will be established if the United States court and the state court interfere seriously with the present status of the Zion City community. The rapidly developing agricultural district of Western Canada is suggested as a good point for the location of the community.

SHOT FATHER.
Hopkinsville, May 23.—Frank and Arthur Ogden have been arrested and are now in jail charged with malicious shooting with intent to kill in the shooting and wounding of their father, Frank Ogden, a colored man, about 70 years old.

MAY UNITE

INJUNCTION OF ANTI-UNIONISTS IS REFUSED.

The Cumberland and Presbyterian Churches Free to Act as Majority Sees Fit.

Decatur, Ill., May 23.—The legal contest instituted to prevent the union of the Cumberland and Presbyterian churches has been decided in favor of the unionists. Judge John last night made public his decision in which he refused to grant the injunction prayed for by the anti-unionists and dismissed the bill on a demurral. Anti-unionists announced an appeal in the case probably to the supreme court of Illinois.

80,051,000 Ties.
The department of agriculture has issued a statement showing the number of cross ties purchased by the steam railroads of this country in 1905. The number used on electric lines is not given. The aggregate trackage of the lines reporting is 278,262, or 95 per cent of the total steam mileage. The number of ties reported is 80,051,000, of which 36 per cent, or 22,569,000 were used for the construction of new track.

PADUCAH TOBACCO MARKET.

(Corrected by L. A. Graham & Co.)

Offerings on our market this day amounting to 155 hogheads including some scattering good tobacco.

The good ones sold high. All the brokers are looking for good tobacco.

Prices as follows:

Lugs \$4.40 to \$5.65.
Common leaf \$5.85 to \$6.50.
Medium leaf, \$6.65 to \$8.00.
Good to fine leaf, \$8.50 to \$10.60.

Scruggs Discharged.

Alben Scruggs, colored, of Fulton, charged with bootlegging was discharged by Armour Gardner, United States Commissioner.

Attorney James Campbell, Jr., and wife will leave tomorrow for Colorado Springs and during the absence of the city solicitor his father, Judge James Campbell, Sr., will act in his place. Solicitor Campbell is suffering from rheumatism.

Jefferson Davis' Widow Has Relapse AND IS MUCH WORSE.

New York, May 23.—The condition of Mrs. Jefferson Davis showed no improvement this morning and is considered grave.

Late yesterday afternoon she had a relapse and her physician again fear she will not survive the attack. Her daughter is here.

COUNCIL FAVORS BUILDING BRIDGE

People of Mechanicsburg Demanding Car Service

Matter Up to Board of Public Works But Something May Be Done Soon for People.

COMPANY WILLING TO GO AHEAD

The people of Mechanicsburg are anxious to know what is to be done with the proposed new bridge across Island creek at Fourth street, as the extension of the car lines to that part of the city depends on the erection of the bridge.

A Sun representative saw Councilman Barnett, chairman of the council public improvement committee, which has the matter in hand, together with Alderman Hank and the board of public works, and he said: "We made a report on the matter and turned it in to the board of public works last week, but the board, seemingly, is disposed to delay the matter for some reason."

"The people of Mechanicsburg want the bridge, and the street car company is willing and ready to bear its part of the expense, and I believe the majority of the council boards is in favor of building it this year."

The matter will probably be taken up by the council at once and the proposition ordered taken up and pushed to completion this year. Some of the council are afraid the present structure will collapse some day, as it has been pronounced unsafe, and if such is the case, one accident would cost the city more than a new bridge.

Councilman Barnett and Alderman Hank are anxious to get the bridge built this year. Councilman Barnett is especially so because the Mechanicsburg people are looking to him to get it, with the street car extension, which would follow, for them, and from his expressions today he proposes to do all he can to get the proposition through.

Treaty With Mexico.

Secretary Root, for the United States, and Ambassador Casaus, for the Mexican government, today signed a treaty regulating the use of the waters of the Rio Grande which, if approved by the senate, will remove what has been for twenty years a source of friction.

CRACKSMEN

LOOT TWO POSTOFFICES ACROSS THE RIVER.

Tear Out Brick Wall and Wreck Building—Woman Held Off With Revolver.

Lexington, Ill., May 23.—The postoffice here was entered by burglars this morning. The safe and building were wrecked with two charges of nitro-glycerine. The robbers secured \$300 in stamps, and \$250 cash and escape. The postoffice was entered by tearing down a portion of a brick wall.

Six Armed Men.

Bunker Hill, Ind., May 23.—Six armed burglars bled open the postoffice safe this morning and secured \$500 in stamps and money. A woman and four children asleep in an adjoining room were aroused by the explosion. When they attempted to escape they were covered with revolvers.

ANARCHISTS

Planning to Hold International Congress in Baltimore.

Washington, May 23.—Warrants for the arrest of seven anarchists are soon to be issued in Baltimore looking toward their deportation to Italy. Commissioner General Sargent, of the bureau of immigration, was in Baltimore yesterday in consultation with the authorities. Baltimore is thought to be the headquarters of anarchists who are planning to hold an international congress this summer.

BOLL WEEVIL.

Baton Rouge, La., May 23.—Capt. B. W. Marsten, member of the crop pest commission, reports the appearance of boll weevil on his Red river parish plantation May 18. This is two months earlier than last year.

FREE ALCOHOL BILL.

Washington, May 23.—The Senate finance committee today authorized a favorable report on the alcohol bill.

Mrs. C. L. Young, of McLeanboro Ill., is visiting her brother, Dr. Frank Boyd, of North Fifth street.

NO AMNESTY FOR THE TERRORISTS

Douma, it is Believed, Will Accept Offer of Throne.

Revolutionists Ambush Cossacks at Pulaway and Bloody Battle Ensues.

LATEST NEWS FROM EUROPE

St. Petersburg, May 23.—Political amnesty will be proclaimed May 27 the anniversary of the coronation of Emperor Nicholas II. The exact scope is not yet determined. It will be limited, but the constitutional Democratic party is prepared, though

Vienna, May 23.—Bellamy Storer, grudgingly, to accept an act of grace from which the terrorists are excluded, recognizing though not publicly, that the government is not altogether unjustified in refusing to set at large men who will be as ready in the future, as they have been in the past, to shoot down or blow to pieces the hated representatives of authority.

Ambush Cossack Patrol.
Warsaw, May 23.—News of a conflict between a band of revolutionaries and a Cossack patrol at Pulaway has been received. The revolutionaries ambushed the Cossacks, firing on the soldiers with revolvers. One Cossack was wounded. The Cossacks charged the revolutionaries with swords, killing two and wounding two. Two revolutionaries have been arrested.

Sofsky Resigns.

St. Petersburg, May 23.—Count Sofsky, president of the council of the empire, has resigned. His health is given as the reason.

Cyclone in Spain.

Madrid, May 23.—A terrible cyclone devastated the province of Soler. An enormous amount of damage was caused by the storm.

Storer's Leave Vienna.

Vienna, May 23.—Rellamy Storer, former American ambassador here, and Mrs. Storer, left Vienna for Paris today. They are going to the United States in the fall.

NEW DISTRICT

CREATED BY CUMBERLAND TELEPHONE COMPANY.

Paducah Will Be Headquarters, and Manager Joynes Will Be in Charge.

Mr. A. L. Joynes, general manager of the Paducah exchange of the Cumberland Telephone company, has received a promotion in recognition of thirteen years of faithful service, and will hereafter be the general manager of a new and distinct district beginning with the Princeton Ky., exchange and running to the Mississippi river.

Mr. Joynes received notification of his promotion this morning in a letter from General Manager Leiland Hume of Nashville, and is appreciative of the let.

The new district takes in all Western Kentucky. It includes the Princeton, Edenville, Kutawa, Paducah, Mayfield, Fulton, Bardwell, Wickliffe, Hickman and Clinton exchanges of this company, a large territory to manage. Mr. Joynes will make Paducah his headquarters.

The popular district manager came to Paducah in 1893 and assumed the management of the local exchange. His efforts to make the company first-class in this end of the state succeeded and his ability was not slow in being recognized. His many friends here will be pleased to learn of his deserved promotion.

Fairbanks, Alaska, Burned.

Washington, May 23.—Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Taylor, who last summer visited Fairbanks, Alaska, reported destroyed by fire, says the winter population of the city is about 3,000. In summer when operations are more active the miners flock in from the surrounding districts and the population frequently grows to 10,000. Fairbanks is the center of the Tanana mining region. It is the largest town in North Alaska.

Volva Enjoined.

Chicago, May 23.—Judge Landis today, in the United States district court, issued an order restraining Willibor G. Volva and all of his attorneys agents and employees from disposing of or in any manner dissipating the assets of the estate of Zion O.

THE WEATHER.

Generally fair except possibly occasional local thunder storms tonight or Thursday. The maximum temperature Tuesday was 84 and the minimum this morning 67. The wind is from the South making it appear warmer than the temperature shows.

GRAVES WILL REPRESENT ROOSEVELT AT CORONATION

Washington, May 23.—Charles H. Graves, American minister to both Sweden and Norway, until different provision is made through the enactment of the pending diplomatic and consular appropriation bill, has been selected to represent the president as a special envoy at the coronation of King Haakon of Norway at Christiansburg, June 28.

Dr. Lorenz Pleased With Lolita Armon's Condition.

Vienna, May 23.—Dr. Lorenz said today that he was pleased and satisfied with the improvement in the condition of Lolita Armon, who will remain in Vienna until the middle of next month while her parents go on a motorizing tour into Switzerland and France.

OLD NEGRO WOMAN

GETS PRACTICALLY ALL OF MAJ. THOMAS' ESTATE.

By Codicil Written Last January Several Minor Bequests Are Made.

Lexington, Ky., May 23.

By his will, which will be offered for probate in a few days, Maj. Barak G. Thomas, the famous breeder and turfman, who died here last week, left practically all of his property, valued at about \$50,000, to his old colored housekeeper, Margaret Pryor, generally known to all of his friends as "Aunt Margaret."

Court Marshal Commander.

Washington, May 23.—The navy department has ordered a court martial of Captain Perry Cart, of the United States navy, commander of the battleship Rhode Island, on account of the recent grounding of vessel at the mouth of York river. The court will meet next Monday morning. The Rhode Island is at Hampton roads.

DISTURBANCE.

Quelled By Constable Shelton But Man Escapes.

Constable A. C. Shelton was called from his home in Mechanicsburg last night to the residence of Mrs. Ford, on Ashbrook avenue, to quell a disturbance between Ford and his wife. Ford slipped away from the officer and it still at large. Constable Shelton stated that he would secure a warrant against Ford today and summon the wife to testify. Mr. and Mrs. Ford separated two days ago, and it is said the husband returned and started the disturbance. The wife telephoned for protection, not desiring to have her husband prosecuted, but Constable Shelton is determined to see the case through.

Mussel Digger Finds Pearl.

Evansville, Ind., May 23.—George Catt, a mussel digger in White river at Hazelton, found a pearl today, valued at \$1,000.

NORWEGIAN POET AND DRAMATIST HENRIK IBSEN PASSES AWAY

UP IN THE AIR WENT INDIANS

Seventeen Runs Made by Danville off Tadlock and Lloyd.

Vincennes Now Leader by Defeating Mattoon in Easy Game—Cairo Beaten.

JUST HOW IT WAS DONE TO US

Team Standing.	W.	L.	Pct.
Vincennes	14	6	.700
Paducah	13	7	.650
Danville	11	9	.550
Cairo	10	10	.500
Jacksonville	7	11	.389
Mattoon	3	15	.167

Yesterday's Results.

Danville, 17; Paducah, 0.
Vincennes, 5; Mattoon, 2.
Jacksonville, 4; Cairo, 3.

Today's Schedule.

Paducah at Danville.

Cairo at Jacksonville.

Mattoon at Vincennes.

Danville, May 23.—The locals administered the worst defeat of the season to the Indians yesterday in a one-sided game, the score being 17 to 0. The visitors were unable to hit Fleming, the juvenile, while Tadlock and Lloyd, who pitched for the Indians, were easily found. It seemed that Danville had a hitting streak on, and nothing could stop the team from the hitting spasm.

The score: R H E
Danville 17 15 0
Paducah 0 2 5

Batteries—Fleming and Queisser; Tadlock, Lloyd and Nippert.

Vincennes Wins.
Vincennes, Ind., May 23.—Mattoon met defeat again at the hands of the locals by a score of 5 to 2. Vincennes made many bobbles, but the game was never in doubt.

The score: R H E
Vincennes 5 7 6
Mattoon 2 6 3

Batteries—Purdue and Matteson; Dowell and Schissel.

Bunched Their Hits.
Jacksonville, Ill., May 23.—The Tadpoles lost to the locals yesterday by a score of 4 to 6. The locals did not hit so well as Cairo but bunched what hits they did get.

The score: R H E
Jacksonville 4 7 2
Cairo 3 12 2

Batteries—Allen and Bell; Hatch and Seares.

Wiley Platt's Feat.
Wiley Platt relieved Kinsella in the sixth inning at Toledo Sunday and won his game. He allowed but two hits in four innings. Wiley did some sticking, too. He got a single and double and made one run. The Toledo boys won by a score of 10 to 8 from Louisville Sunday, but the victory was battoned out after Platt went in. Land caught, got one hit and made two clinkers.

Eddie Brabec a brother of Dick Brabec, who has been catching for the crack Princeton, Ky., team, is in the city. He has joined the L. A. L. team and will be its regular catcher.

THE BIG LEAGUES.

American League.
Philadelphia 5, Cleveland 8; batteries, Bender, Dygert and Schreck; Joss and Clark.

Boston 3, Detroit 6; batteries, Harris and Graham; Siever and Schmidt.

Washington 4, St. Louis 6; batteries, Sudhoff, Hughes, Haydon and Kittredge; Smith and Rickey.

New York 8, Chicago 2; batteries, Orth and Kleino; Smith and Sullivan.

National League.
Chicago 2, New York 8; batteries, Wicker, Pfleister and Kling and Moran; McGinnity and Bresnahan.

Pittsburg 1, Boston 6; batteries, Leever and Gibson; Dorner and Needham.

Cincinnati 6, Brooklyn 4; batteries, Cheek and Schiel; McIntyre and Bergen.

St. Louis 0, Philadelphia 7; batteries, Thompson, Egan and McCarthy; Pittenger and Doolin.

BROTHERHOOD.

Elects Officers of National Organization for Year.

Memphis, Tenn., May 23.—The following officers were elected by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers: Grand Chief Engineer, W. S. Stone; first grand engineer, W. B. Prenter; second grand engineer, James E. Minor; third grand engineer, Delos Everett; fourth grand engineer, C. H. Sammons; assistant grand chief engineer, M. W. Cadle; assistant grand chief engineer, E. W. Hurley; assistant grand chief engineer, Israel Brandt; first grand assistant engineer, J. C. Currie; second grand assistant engineer, Benjamin H. Harmon; third assistant engineer, Thomas H. Hiner; grand guide, Alfred G. Phipps; grand chaplain, George R. Dority.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

It is not a secret or patent medicine, against which the most intelligent people are quite naturally averse because of the uncertainty as to their harmless character, but is a medicine of known composition, a full list of all its ingredients being printed in plain English, on every bottle wrapper. An examination of this list of ingredients will disclose the fact that it is non-alcoholic in its composition, chemically pure and safe, taking the place of the commonly used alcohol, in its making. The "Favorite Prescription" of Dr. Pierce is in fact the only medicine put up for the cure of woman's peculiar weaknesses and ailments, sold through drugists, that does not contain alcohol and *that too in large quantities*. Furthermore, it is the only medicine for woman's special diseases, the ingredients of which have the unanimous endorsement of all the leading physicians, writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice, and that too as remedies for the ailments for which "Favorite Prescription" is recommended.

A little book of some of these endorsements will be sent to any address, postage and absolutely free if you request same by postal card or letter, of Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, for woman's weaknesses and delicate ailments, is not a patent or secret medicine, being the "Favorite Prescription" of a regularly educated and graduated physician, engaged in the practice of his chosen specialty—that of diseases of women—that its ingredients are printed in plain English on every bottle-wrapper, that it is the only medicine especially designed for the cure of woman's special diseases, that contains no alcohol, and the only one that has a professional endorsement worth more than all the so-called "testimonials" ever published for other medicines. Send for these endorsements as above. They are free for the asking.

If you suffer from periodical headache, backache, dizziness, pain or dragging down sensation low down in the abdomen, weak back, have disagreeable and weakening, catarrhal, pelvic disease, or in distress from being lame on your feet, then you are sure of benefit from taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets the best laxative and regulator of the bowels. They invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. One a laxative; two or three a cathartic.

POOR FARM

WORK DELAYED UNTIL A WELL CAN BE DRILLED.

Site of House Depends On Location of Water Supply and Officials Are After Man.

The county wants a well wrangler and necessarily will have to delay the preliminaries to building the new county poor farm until one has been procured and a well drilled on the property.

"We want a man we know can bore a well successfully," Justice Charles Emery, one of the poor farm committee, stated this morning, "and until we can get one, and the well drilled, will have to delay active building operations on the poor farm. It may have some effect on the site of the poor house."

"It may be that we will have to build a second well. We will install a laundry, private steam heating plant and other modern conveniences in the poor farm and this all requires water. If the well can not furnish enough, we will have to bore two. It is possible that the well will have to be 200 or more feet in this particular locality."

WEALTHY PAY TAX ON LITTLE.

Assessor Finds Cleveland Suburb, Home of Millionaires, Almost Bare.

Cleveland, May 23.—In Breckinridge, a suburb where only 65 persons, all millionaires, own property, the assessor found only \$48,360 worth of personality to tax. There is not a resident worth less than \$1,500,000, and every one is interested in Cleveland's largest concerns. Among the collection of articles in the village is a \$5 watch owned by Abraham Garfield; a \$5 carriage, a \$5 watch and a \$10 piano owned by A. S. Ingalls; three \$5 watches owned by P. P. Sanford, and three \$25 horses owned by Charles H. Coit. Only four persons in the village have money invested in stocks or otherwise, so they say. Millionaire L. E. Holden was found to have personal property worth \$5,000. He owns a newspaper, silver mines and a \$2,000,000 hotel.

Police Court.

Lee Williams, colored, was held in police court under a \$300 bond on the charge of maliciously striking Will Holden, colored, with a large iron bar. He stated that he had heard Holden talk about fixing him and thought Holden meant trouble when he came upon him. This is the reason he gave for using the weapon which weighed about 25 pounds. Holden's condition has been serious since the assault and today was the first day he was able to be out. He was struck in the forehead.

Thus McMorris was fined \$20 and costs, and \$10 and costs in two cases of breaches of the peace. He was fined in the first for mistreating his wife, and in the latter for resisting officers.

Jesse Fagan and Rexie Raper were dismissed on the charge of disturbing public worship at the East Baptist church in Mechanicsburg, but were recognized in the sum of \$200 for their good behavior in the future.

Other cases: English Pitman, colored, petty larceny, dismissed; Kate Beasley, colored, breach of the peace, \$5 and costs.

Gus Coulter Better.

The condition of Hon. Gus Coulter at Mayfield today is reported better. His physician noted a decided improvement from yesterday. The patient passed a quiet night.

If a man refuses to set the example he is foolish if he expects the world to have a good opinion of him.

SETTING PLANTS AROUND STATION

Chief Gardener of I. C. Will Not Remove Fence.

Water Valley Sunday School Excursion Goes to Dawson Springs On Special Train.

BIG WHARF AT NEW ORLEANS

RIVER NEWS

The gauge today reads 8.8., a fall of 0.6 in the last 24 hours. Weather clear and warm. Wind from the south.

SAUNDERS A. FOWLER,
Local Observer.

The Wash Houshell came in yesterday afternoon from Cairo and returned last night. She is moving timber from Joppa.

The Royal was in and out today on time for Golconda.

The Dick Fowler left on time this morning for Cairo with a good freight trip.

The Joe Fowler arrived at noon from Evansville and will leave by evening on return trip.

The Butler came in this morning from Clarksville and will leave tonight for Nashville.

The Peter Lee is due tomorrow from Memphis to Cincinnati.

The Res Lee is due down Saturday from Cincinnati to Memphis.

The Clyde will leave tonight for Tennessee river.

The Cowling made her regular morning trip from Metropolis today.

The Kuttawa went to Smithland this morning for a tow of logs.

The City of Savannah is due Friday from Tennessee river to St. Louis.

The Jim Duffy is due out of Tennessee river tomorrow with ties for the Ayer and Lord company.

The Inverness is due tomorrow or Friday from the Tennessee river with ties.

There is a painful dullness in towboat circles due to the low stage of the water.

Despite the fact that the Ohio is still dropping, rivermen are of the impression that navigation will not be hampered before the June rise appears.—Louisville Post.

Official Forecasts.

The Ohio at Evansville and Mt. Vernon, will continue falling during the next two days. At Paducah and Cairo, will continue falling during the next several days.

The Tennessee at Florence will probably rise slightly during the next 24 hours. At Johnsonville no material change during the next 24 hours.

The Mississippi from Chester to Cairo, will continue falling.

Millions By Wire.

The treasury at New York yesterday transferred \$1,900,000 to San Francisco by telegraph. This makes a total sent to San Francisco, since April 18, of \$34,491,200.

Indiana Murder.

Perry McCord shot and killed Hugh Summers, at Ayshire, Ind., firing 306 shot into his body.

NOTICE.

List of new subscribers added by the East Tennessee Telephone company today:

689-a—Wespiert, Jno., Res., Hinkle Rd.

2659—Moore, Martha, Res., 1207 N. 14th.

2662—Cheek, Mrs. J. S., Res., 314 N. 6th.

2661—Cosby, F. G., Res., Glenwood.

2663—Whitehead, W. J., Res., 1721 Madison.

Like other commodities telephone service should be paid for according to its worth and value.

We have in the city over 3,000 subscribers or five times as many as the Independent company; outside the city and within the county we have 63 times as many subscribers as the Independent company. Yet we will place a telephone in your residence at the same rate the Independent company is supposed to charge, and provide in addition, long distance facilities which will enable you to reach fifty million people from your home.

Call 300 for further information.

EAST TENNESSEE TELEPHONE COMPANY.

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Durability—Outside lining protected from heat by inside air space. Cannot warp out of shape. Solid construction, ventilated oven.

Economy—The air space prevents radiation of heat, thereby insuring economical use of gas. You can cook a 6 pound roast, five vegetables and bake a pan of biscuits with 18 feet of gas, costing

1 Cent and 8 Mills.

This was demonstrated to you at our cooking display. Now clinch the proposition by asking us to bring a gas stove to your front gate for your inspection.

Connections Free Today

THE PADUCAH LIGHT & POWER CO.

GARDEN HOSE

Several different grades and prices to select from. They are a necessary adjunct to comfort in summer.

E. D. HANNAN, PLUMBER STEAM FITTER Both Phones 201

Sprays, Sprinkling Sleds, all Hose Repairs,

TENNIS CLUB

HOLDS ATTENTION OF HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS AND FACULTY

Orchestra in Excellent Condition for Commencement Week—Alumnae ni Plans.

The tennis tournament at the Paducah High school has started and the first single contest is now being played. The first singles are being played by William Bell and Edwin Randle and Robert Hailey and Lorenzo Emery. They were started yesterday afternoon and will be finished this afternoon.

There are several dozen entered in these contests and it will require more than two weeks playing to end the tournament. The games are well attended, and the faculty is taking a lively interest in the work.

School Orchestra.

This morning the opening feature of the High school was a program rendered by the High school orchestra. The orchestra is rapidly improving and will prove an interesting feature of the class day exercises the last week of school.

Reception to Graduates.

BOY CONFESSES TO SNATCHING PURSES

Police Confident They Have Youths Guilty of Crime.

Detective Moore Sweats Information Out of Lad Arrested On Tip From His Partner.

TWO CHARGES AGAINST THEM

Bartley Turley, of 1520 South Tenth street and Dennis Rowley, of 1123 South Ninth street, negro boys under 15 years old, are said to be the two responsible for the purse snatching going on for several days, and will be tried this week for the alleged crimes. One boy confessed after a "sweating" by Detective Moore, who worked the case up privately, and it is thought little trouble will be experienced in making a strong case out against the two.

Turley snatched a pair of shoes from the Klein shops on lower Broadway and was convicted and given 60 days in jail for this. He told Chief Collins that he had a partner, Dennis Rowley, and Detective Moore took the latter in hand.

The negro confessed to being with Turley when the latter snatched Mrs. Flowers' pocketbook last week, and later was with him when he snatched Mrs. Hazelbauer's purse on Madison street Sunday night.

The Rowley boy claims he did nothing more than merely look on.

ASTHMA CONQUERED.

New Austrian Drug Cures Asthma and Stops Distress From Hay Fever.

Vienna, May 22.—Late official reports of medical savants now concur in the united statement that asacto, the new Austrian drug, permanently cures asthma and abates completely all suffering from hay fever and June cold in any climate or country.

The small dose, seven drops, causes no derangement of stomach which was the difficulty scientists sought to overcome in former researches. The Austrian dispensary, now located permanently at 32 West 25th street, New York City, is supplying asacto by mail, free of any cost, to all sufferers who write them.

COUNCIL MEETS.

Session Adjourned From Last Monday Night.

The councilmanic board will meet in adjourned session tonight to transact routine business. The meeting was adjourned from Monday night out of respect to the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Dipple, mother of Councilman Race Dipple.

Desperate Danger.

"I'd hate to travel on the ship that carries 500,000 pounds of dynamite wouldn't you?"

"Hate to? Say, I'd just as soon be on a torpedo boat during manoeuvres."

A Victim Speaks.

"Don't break the law," said he. "For if you do, the law and counsel's fee may soon break you."

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LAIRD OF SKIBO IN ON REBATE

Pennsylvania Official Gives Andy the Lie.

Says He Figured in the Practice to the Extent of \$10,000,000 Annually.

MUST ANSWER THE QUESTIONS.

Philadelphia, May 23—Three startling developments came today in connection with rebating practiced by the Pennsylvania railroad, which is now being investigated by the interstate commerce commission.

One was the declaration of Vice President John T. Green, who is acting president in the absence of Mr. Cassatt, denying the statement of Andrew Carnegie that he had never received rebates, and asserting in the most positive way that the Pennsylvania had paid to the Carnegie Steel Works a vast fortune in rebates.

There was an air of general gloom in the Pennsylvania offices and most of the officials were silent, but when Vice President Green was asked concerning the statement of Mr. Carnegie that he never received rebates, he said bluntly that the Carnegie Steel company received rebates on \$10,000,000 of annual traffic over the Pennsylvania lines.

Cassie and Andy.
Boston, Mass., May 23.—Andrew Carnegie will have to tell under oath whether or not the representations made by Mrs. Cassie Chadwick that she held his note for \$500,000 and that he had \$5,000,000 in trust for her, under an agreement, were true or false.

In a suit by Robert Lyons, receiver of the Citizens' National bank of Oberlin, O., against Herbert L. Newton, to recover on a promissory note for \$10,000, the defendant has moved in the United States circuit court here for leave to propound interrogatories to Carnegie. Judge Colt allowed the defendant to send his interrogatories to Carnegie.

PUBLIC WORKS

BOARD MEETS TODAY IN REGULAR SESSION.

Will Formulate Report to Council Concerning Municipal Light Plant.

The board of public works will meet this afternoon and formulate a report to be presented to the legislative boards relative to the city electric lighting plant.

The joint light committee with the board of public works met this week and decided on recommending that \$20,000 be appropriated for remodeling the plant. This report was referred to committee which has had it drafted in proper form to be presented to the board tonight.

The council will meet tonight in adjourned session, and the board of aldermen tomorrow night. It is possible that immediate action will be taken in this matter, as it is an important one commanding immediate attention.

The board of works will have other routine matters to act on this afternoon.

THREE DAYS.

Provisions Taken Up With Them by Astronauts.

Provisioned for an air voyage of three days, the balloon Nirvana, managed by the owner Dr. Julian P. Thomas, of the Aero club and Charles Levee, a French aeronaut, ascended this afternoon from Port Morris on the Harlem river. Dr. Thomas announced that the trip was intended as an endurance test, and that he would keep in the air as long as his gas and food held out. The balloon, which has just been completed, has a capacity of 20,000 cubic feet.

AGED PEDESTRIAN.

Trying to Duplicate Long Distance Walk of 1863.

Trenton, N. J., May 23.—Edward Payson Weston, 68 years old, long distance pedestrian, passed through Trenton this morning, g on his way from Philadelphia to New York in an effort to cover the distance in 24 hours. The thirty miles from Philadelphia to Trenton required Weston seven hours and forty minutes to make it. If he keeps up this gait he will duplicate his record of 43 years ago, when he walked from Philadelphia to New York in a day.

Bank Robbers.

Muskogee, I. T., May 23.—The First Bank of Hoffman, a new town 25 miles southwest of Muskogee, was robbed at 1 o'clock this morning. The amount of money secured is not known, but it was small. Five separate charges of nitro-glycerin were used before the safe was opened, showing the robbers to be amateurs.

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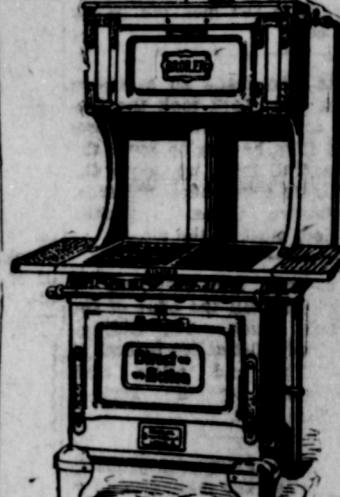
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April 9...3911	April 23...3994
April 10...3905	April 24...3988
April 11...3970	April 25...3996
April 12...3946	April 26...4006
April 13...3984	April 27...4018
April 14...3984	April 28...4012
.....	April 30...4002
Total	100,450
Average for April 1906	4018
Average for April 1905	3626

Increase 392

Personally appeared before me, this May 1, 1906, E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of April, 1906, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public.

My commission expires January 22, 1908.

Daily Thought.

'Self-control is the first rung on the ladder of success.'

May the Paducah Humane Society prosper in good works and merit popular approbation and support. It is one of the landmarks in the ethical development of a community. All our ideas of caste are expressed with the word gentle, which since its English adoption means more than the simple significance of high birth given it in the original French. The gentleman or gentlewoman of today must be truly noble in his manifestations of consideration for his fellow beings and all creatures around him. That a man who is kind to animals cannot be altogether bad, is an expression that comes intuitively to the lips, and this is one of the natural tests of human character. It holds true that every exercise of cruelty toward another living creature to that extent brutalizes the actor. In protecting dumb animals from the ferocity of their masters the society will be performing a merciful mission, but it will be doing a greater service for the master than for the brute. The result of the society's efforts will reach its highest perfection in the coming generation which will be trained in the practices of mercy and humanity.

Notice to Contractors.

Bids will be opened by the Board of Public Works on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, May 30, 1906, for the construction of concrete sidewalks, curb and gutters on both sides of Jones street from Ninth to Tenth street, and from Tenth to Eleventh street, in accordance with plans and specifications on file in the city engineer's office, and in accordance with the ordinance governing same.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

JAS. E. WILHELM, Sec.

Aeronauts who made an ascension yesterday at New York took the precaution to carry up three days' provisions. If they happen to meet the Paducah baseball team up above the state of Illinois somewhere, we trust they will observe the usual amenities when travelers meet in the air.

And now the administration is threatening to curtail the odor of the Chicago stock yards. The Chicago smell is the only distinctive feature of the Windy City, and takes rank among the wonder of the world—probably the rankest.

Vice President Fairbanks probably considered himself the most worthy to address a church conference, since he was the only personage connected with the senate or the administration who was not called a liar during the rate bill debate.

Thaw is the name of the young man who was separated from a cool two hundred thousand with a "cold deck" in a game of "freeze out" on an Atlantic liner last week. And yet some people say there is nothing in a name.

I took the whole state, county and city administration to adjust the lid on Louisville. Just for the initial test Providence should send a cool, comfortable Sabbath day.

An old man was fined in Cleveland because a chunk he sold was 20 pounds short. The judge doesn't realize how

slow ice wagons move and how fast ice melts.

If he has to be killed anyway, Stossel would have made a hit with his descendants if he had stayed in Port Arthur a little while longer.

The government will have to take in hand the duty of protecting Niagara. New York state has shown that she will do nothing.

Press reports from Nebraska state that halfstones as big as baseballs fell there. Must have looked that way at Davierville.

While Americans take great pride and pleasure in being called "a strenuous people," it is perhaps not generally appreciated that a great many injure themselves physically—wreck nervous systems, invite premature wrinkles, gray hairs and infirmities by the hurry, worry way in which they live, neglecting in many instances proper care of the body and letting the real pleasures of life escape as a forfeit. Unrestrained strenuousness means neurasthenia ultimately.

Neurasthenia is nerve-exhaustion and that means inefficiency of the body to carry on vital functioning. Nerve centres lag; debility ensues; listlessness and fatigue reign. Pain may be felt in the back; fullness or pressure at the top of the head; sleep is broken and without refreshment; digestion notably is weak and loss of appetite, constipation and distress after eating are the rule. The headache of neurasthenia is like a band around the head; ordinarily is worse in the morning and better towards the end of day, and is probably the most common of all headaches which come for treatment.

Now, drugs do not help neurasthenia; that is admitted; and physicians have long been accustomed to send their neurasthenics away from the cities to the mountains, seashore, abroad or anywhere to find new scenes and enjoy tranquil restoration. But that is expensive and there is a surer, quicker and better as well as less costly way—Osteopathy.

Osteopathy cures neurasthenia—which is but another name for nervousness, by stimulation to the nerves and the circulation.

I can show you to your satisfaction in a very few minutes why osteopathy is the sane rational cure for ALL diseases of the nerves.

Come to see me at any time between the hours of 9 and 12 in the forenoon and 2 and 5 in the afternoon. Dr. G. B. Froage, 516 Broadway. Phone 1407.

Shoshone Reservation Open.
The Shoshone reservation will be thrown open to the public on July 15. Announcement to this effect will be made within a few days by President Roosevelt. This means that 1,150,000 acres of valuable land in Wyoming will be opened to homeseekers.

The places of registration for the new land will be at Worland and Thermopolis on the Burlington road in the northeastern part of the state and at Shoshone and Lander on the northwestern in the southwestern part of the state.

Already the department of agriculture has had surveys made for irrigation ditches, and it is believed this work will be completed in time to have the water turned on next spring.

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The queen of Greece probably dispenses more of what may be described as "official kisses" than anyone else on earth. Every lady who is presented to her with whom she is on intimate terms she kisses on the cheek; others who have not the honor of knowing her well she kisses on the forehead.

\$75 FOR THE PRETTIEST YARDS IN PADUCAH.

The Sun offers a prize of \$10 cash for the prettiest yard in each of the six wards of Paducah, the residents within a half mile of the city limits being deemed eligible for the contests.

Besides these prizes for the different wards, an extra prize of \$15 cash will be given for the prettiest yard in the city at large.

The Sun offers these prizes to stimulate an interest in handsome yards.

The contests will be decided July 15, by a committee to be selected at a later date.

The only condition of the contest is that entries must be subscribers of The Sun.

PERTINENT QUESTIONS.

The Editor of The Sun:

Having recently moved to Paducah and invested my all with the intention of making it my home for life, not owning or having relatives who own stock in the public corporations here and not being connected in any way with them I would like to make some suggestions to the general council in regard to the proposition of the city owning and operating a water works and electric light plants, that certain citizens are agitating at present.

The proposition is the most momentous, affecting the present and future generation, that the taxpayers have or will ever have to solve; it will involve the expenditure and issuing of hundreds of thousands of dollars of bonds investing all the resources that the city now has or will have for years to come. This being true, and I believe all thinking people will agree with me it must be conceded, regardless of our opinions on the proposition, that the question demands and calls for the most far-reaching and intelligent investigation that the city officials and taxpayers are capable of giving it.

I believe that this question should be treated and considered as an individual business man would if he was contemplating investing his all in an undertaking of this magnitude. I can not believe that any business man one of the highest order of intelligence and experience, would hastily enter into an enterprise calling for the investment of his every dollar before a long and thorough investigation as to the amount of money he is to invest and the returns he is to receive from it.

The general council was elected by the citizens and it is their duty to govern our city in the interest and for the welfare of a majority of its citizens. When a very small percentage of the citizens of Paducah a few days since petitioned the general council to submit an ordinance to build a water works and an electric light plant, it was the duty of the council, although there were only 316 petitioners, to give the matter due consideration and intelligent investigation, so that if they decided to grant the petitioners' request they would be able, as the recognized representatives of the city, to present or lay before the other 93 percent of voters all such facts and figures as they are entitled to, and which would enable them to voice intelligently on so important a subject. The average citizen is a busy man and has not the time or opportunity to get the information he is entitled to on a subject of this magnitude. Believing that I voice the sentiments of a great majority of the taxpayers and thinking men of our city, I suggest to the general council that they carefully and accurately ascertain and lay before the people the following facts and information which each of them would obtain if they were investing their own money:

In order for you to give the taxpayers the most important part of the following information it will be absolutely necessary for you to employ a consulting engineer of the highest standing, as I am reliably informed there is no one connected with the city government who has ever built or been connected in any way with a water works or electric light plant. What will be the cost of a modern up-to-date water works plant to cover the entire city and to meet the present requirements and the future growth of the city, and to meet the conditions as they exist here, taking into consideration its fire protection, purity of water for drinking, for steam and for washing purposes.

What will be the cost of a modern electric light plant to meet the present demands and future growth of the city?

What will be the receipts and expenses of such plants, and also the recognized depreciation of them each year?

After deciding on a system of water works confer with the officers of the National Board of Fire Insurance companies and ascertain from them if your insurance rates will be increased by constructing such a plant.

Write to cities of the size of Paducah all over the country and ascertain what they are paying for water for fire and domestic purposes and electric lights and in comparing them to those here, inform the citizens whether the conditions exist there as they do here, whether they have a filtration plant, whether their water plant is built to furnish pressure or do they have to use fire engines.

When you get statistics from public plants get the result of their operations for ten or twenty years, and not for just one year.

If you get statistics from cities ten or fifteen times the size of Paducah ascertain what rates were paid when they were the size of Paducah.

In other words, compare the conditions.

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tions as they are or have been in other places as they exist here.

Inform the taxpayers that the constitution makes it compulsory on cities issuing bonds to create a sinking fund sufficient to pay them off in 30 years, and advise them how this money (\$15,000 or \$20,000) is to be raised each year in addition to large outlays each year for the enlargement and extensions of each plant.

Ascertain if it has ever been demonstrated that two water works plants and electric light plants could make operating expenses in a city the size of Paducah.

After obtaining all the information you can from other cities of the same size and conditions as Paducah, then write to the director of the census bureau at Washington and ask him if he did not state a few weeks ago in a public speech that it had been impossible for his department in collecting statistics to get any accurate information for comparative purposes from municipal owned utilities on a Chicago paper that Dubuque after in which their records were kept.

I have heard of two instances recently that should impress the thinking class for some time. I saw in a Chicago paper that Dubuque after owning its water plant for five years had employed a firm of expert accountants to go over its records and they reported that the system had cost the city \$60,000 more than it had earned not including the expenditures for extensions and enlargement, or the loss of several thousand dollars each year that a private company would have paid the city.

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Gentlemen of the general council haste makes waste, and I do not believe that any advocate of municipal ownership, if he is sincere and honest in his convictions, can but applaud you if you make a thorough, accurate and painstaking investigation of these momentous propositions, and then lay the facts in an intelligent manner before the taxpayers of Paducah and give them time to digest them. The few people who are urging you to take a hasty and an ill-advised action on these important matters will be the first ones in a short time to condemn you for your poor judgment and business sagacity.

A TAXPAYER.

Condemned.

Stinjay—Did you try that cigar gave you yesterday?

Markley—Yes.

Stinjay—Well, what's the verdict?

Markley—Gilty.

Rev. John J. Harkins, a Boston priest, has written an opera, entitled "The Intruders," which will be presented shortly. He has also written many songs.



Twilight Gray Suits

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Belle—Yes, and I told him I didn't think he'd stoop so low as that.

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—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.
—City subscribers to the Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make their requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to our carriers. Sun Pub Co.

—Old Southern Harmony singing at Benton, Sunday, May 27.

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—The Sun office is prepared to furnish the very best things in engraved or printed calling cards for graduates, and is making special prices now, for a few days. Orders should be placed at once in time for the commencement.

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—Dr. Gilbert, Osteopath, 400 1-2 Broadway. Phone 196.

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—Dr. J. V. Voris, dentist, 200 Franklin building.

—Rudy Phillips and Co. announce another of their extraordinary silk sales for Friday. See the announcement in their ad. in today's paper. This sale will surpass their great sale of January in that it will contain greater bargains and more silks than that sale, and the wise woman is she who will take early advantage of the sale.

—The Sun has a most interesting book giving an account of the San Francisco earthquake with pictures of the city as it was in its former splendor, and as it looks today. The price of the book is \$1.50, but you can get it by agreeing to take The Sun for six months, and paying 50 cents to cover cost of delivery, in addition to the usual subscription price.

—Harmony Singing. An old-time harmony singing has been arranged for Saturday night at the East Baptist church in Mechanicsburg and a large attendance is expected.

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noon at the Eagle club house on Broadway, is a largely attended affair each member being allowed to bring three guests. The program, which is a miscellaneous one is a most attractive one. Mrs. W. C. Gray is the leader for the afternoon.

Mrs. Gregory Entertains.

Mrs. Oscar L. Gregory was hostess to the Five Hundred club this morning at her country home, "Rustic Hall," Gregory Place.

This afternoon Mrs. Gregory is entertaining complimentary to Mrs. J. C. Roth, of Chicago, the guest of Mrs. Joseph Frie man.

Entre Nous Club.

Miss Sue Thompson is entertaining the Entre Nous club this afternoon at her home on West Broadway.

Mr. G. H. Warneken, of Clarksville, is in the city attending the tobacco sales.

Mrs. J. C. Roth and little daughter Louise, who have been the guests of Mrs. Joseph L. Friedman at "The Pines," will return to their home in Chicago tomorrow evening.

Mr. Henry Hazotte went to Murray this morning to attend the Christian church meeting.

Mrs. R. L. Tate went to Murray this morning to attend a convention of Christian societies.

Officer W. Y. Eaker, of Fulton, Ky., is in Paducah today attending court.

Mrs. W. H. Cashon and children have returned from Fulton after visiting relatives.

Mrs. W. M. Berry and child have arrived from Columbus, Ga., to make Paducah their home. She is the wife of Mr. W. M. Berry, of the Hotel Belvedere.

Miss Murrill Brown returned to her home at Madisonville yesterday after attending a local business college during the winter.

Miss Allie Arnold has gone to Memphis to visit.

Mrs. Gertrude Leftwich and sister, Mrs. Kate Leake, of Atlanta, Ga., are visiting the family of Mr. H. K. Thompson.

Mrs. James Rice and little daughter, Mary Anna, have returned from a ten days' visit in Evansville.

Edwin Newell returned yesterday from a three-weeks' stay in Birmingham, Ala., where he acted as one of the pages of the General Conference of the M. E. church, South.

Mr. and Mrs. Bomar Sweeney, of Tola, Texas, are the guests of Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Newell, of North Seventh street. They have been in Paris, Tenn., visiting Mr. Sweeney's parents who have recently returned from the Philippines where Judge Sweeney has a government appointment as associate judge.

Mrs. Frank Hill is visiting in Wilkville.

George the seven-year-old son of Mr. George Katterjohn, the contractor, is recovering after an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. C. C. Edwards, of Shawneetown, Ill., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Nick Frakes, of South Fifth street.

Col. Frank Murphy, manager of the Palmer house, will go to Chicago tomorrow to look after furniture orders placed with firms in that city. He will return Monday.

Dr. W. C. Eubanks will return tomorrow from Standford, Ky., where he was called by the death of his father.

Inglewood I. O. O. F. Notice.
All members of Inglewood Lodge of I. O. O. F. are requested to meet at hall promptly at 8:30 Thursday morning to attend the funeral of Brother Milt H. Ingram. All Odd Fellows invited.

(Signed) R. L. CONNER, N. G. P. J. BECKENBAUGH, Secy.

TODAY'S MARKETS

	Open	Close
Wheat—	83 1/2	82 3/4
July	82 3/4	82
Corn—	48 1/2	48 1/2
July	47 1/2	47 1/2
Oats—	33 1/2	33
July	31 1/2	31 1/2
Pork—	15.62	15.67
Cotton—	11.34	11.34
July	11.12	11.10
Oct.	10.55	10.58
Dec.	10.57	10.58
Stocks—		
I. C.	1.73 1/4	1.71 1/2
L. & N.	1.43 1/2	1.43 1/2
U. P.	1.48 1/2	1.48
Rdg.	1.23 1/2	1.33
St. P.	1.67 1/2	1.67 1/2
Mo. P.	93 1/2	92 1/2
Penn.	1.31 1/2	1.32
Cop.	1.08 1/2	1.07 1/2
Smel.	1.53 1/2	1.53
Lead	76 1/2	76 1/2
T. C. I.	1.47	1.49 1/2
C. F. I.	49 1/2	51 1/2
U. S. P.	1.05 1/2	1.05 1/2
U. S.	40%	40%

Local Markets.

Dressed Chickens—35c to 65c.
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Butter—20c lb.
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Radishes—3 for 5c.
Lettuce—3 heads for 5c.
Rhubarb—6c per bunch.
Strawberries—5c quart.
Peas—10c quart.

GET FINE OF \$500 IN FEDERAL COURT

A. M. Laevison & Co., Guilty in One Case, Dismissed in Two.

Charged With Shipping Malt Liquor Into Central City, Violating U. S. Law.

JUDGE EVANS DECIDES CASE

Herman Friedman and others, doing business under the firm name of A. M. Laevison & Company, were to day fined \$500 for a violation of a government statutory offense in the sale of products, by Walter Evans, federal judge at Louisville, and in two other cases, wherein similar charges had been made, were dismissed.

The case involving the fine was brought about through the shipment of malt beverages to Central City. The suit charges that in June, 1905, the defendant shipped five cases of malt beverage to W. T. Humphrey at Central City and that the cases were marked "A. M. Laevison & Company Soda Waters."

The petition further states that the goods were seized and proved to be beer or malt beverages of an intoxicating nature.

The case instituted is in the form of a suit, this being the favorite form of bringing action to enforce payment of a penalty for statutory violations.

The other two cases against the firm which were dismissed, were dismissed without costs being assessed against the defendant.

The cases were tried before Judge Evans during the April term of court and taken under advisement by the court. He is now winding up business of an urgent nature in order to clear his docket and sail for Europe next month.

Slander Suit.

A suit for \$10,000 damages was filed in circuit court yesterday afternoon late by E. B. Woodward against S. J. Billington, both of the county for alleged slander.

The suit alleges that Billington made a statement to this effect: "The fellow Woodward entered my house and stole \$11 from me."

The plaintiff is a resident of Paducah but at the time the statement is alleged to have been made was residing in the Maxon Mill section. He was engaged in the picture business, taking orders for pictures, and had a contract with Billington's wife. On November 8 he delivered her picture but found no one at home. In the afternoon he was seized by Billington, who made a search of Woodward's clothes and finding nothing released him. It is alleged in the petition that Billington later made the remark quoted above.

Billington is not the county school superintendent, but a cousin of the of ficial.

Cigar Store Closed.

The cigar store of Frank Ferriman was yesterday afternoon closed for rent a'ge due Wahl Bros., owners of the building. The building is occupied jointly by John Wilhelm in the newspaper business and V. J. Thomas in the piano business. Both will seek new quarters unless the debt is settled and the store re-opened.

Circuit Court.

Circuit Judge Reed had little business in circuit court this morning. In the case of F. A. Lucas against A. C. Shelton, by agreement E. W. Bagby was selected to try the case, sitting as a special judge.

In the case of John Curd against the Louisville and Evansville Packet company, a motion for a new trial was filed by the defendant.

Deeds Recorded.

J. J. Sanderson and wife to the Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, of Lone Oak, for \$1 and other consideration, property on the Lovelaceville road.

Lizzie Yates to Annie G. Logan, for \$25 and other consideration, property near Fourth and Elizabeth streets.

Annie G. Logan to Mirlie Finney, for \$500, property near Fourth and Elizabeth street.

Edward M. Graham to Annie G. Logan, for \$50, property near Fourth and Elizabeth streets.

Marriage Licenses.

Ollie Catlett, city, age 25, and Ida Edmonds, aged 26, city, colored, were this morning licensed to wed.

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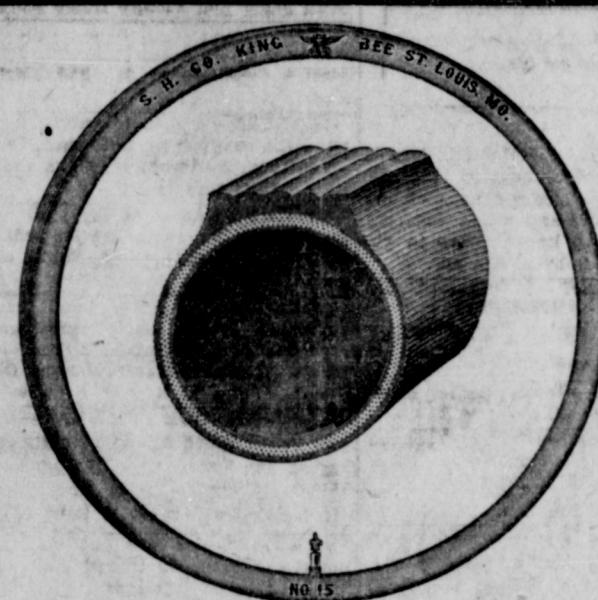
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The stock is owned by several Paducah people. The majority of the stock is the property of Blow, Sherrill and Harris, the latter acting as trainer, but G. M. Stonebreaker, F. W. Katterjohn and Dr. Nelson, the latter of Hardin, have horses stabled at the fair grounds where the stock is being worked out.

Most of the horses are harness stock but there is one jumper in the lot, the property of Wes Flowers. Tuesdays and Fridays are "working out days" and many turfmen and others interested in this class of sport go out to see the horses trot.

The firm of Blow, Sherrill and Harris intends to enter several horses in fair meets in Tennessee and Central Kentucky, and the horses are being fast brought around into shape.

Indiana Strawberries Threatened by Drought.
Albany, Ind., May 23.—Unless Southern Indiana is visited by a good stiff rain during the next forty-eight hours, it is stated that practically the entire strawberry crop will be destroyed. This means that hundreds will be thrown out of employment, thousands of dollars lost, while St. Louis and Chicago will experience a shortage of strawberries that will be hard to overcome, as these two markets gain their supply from this section.

Under ordinary conditions the fruit would be going north in train loads but thus far only a few wear loads have been sent out. Great preparations have been made to move the crop, but the drought has caused all the laborers to remain idle.

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STAR BOARDER

CHAMBER BEING FIXED UP IN
CITY PRISON.

Jailer Eveets Is Preparing the Room
At His Own Expense—For
Friends and Others.

City Jailer Tom Eveets is fitting out a "star boarder chamber" in the city jail and it will cost a neat little sum when finished. The cost of the improvement is to come out of the city jailer's pocketbook, but he intends to have it fixed right and will spend no expense.

Jailer Eveets has been given the partition furniture taken from Chief Collins' office. He intends to use this in fitting out the room.

"I intend to put in a false floor on the concrete in the front lockup room under Mayor Yeiser's office," he said. I will have it covered with carpet and will paper the walls and paint the woodwork. The city hall committee has agreed to furnish me with enough paint to do this work, but the other expense will be borne by myself.

"When finished, I will have a private office, or rather a star boarder chamber. I expect to fit it out with bed and have over a dozen good pictures to hang. The room will be made as attractive as possible and it is cool in this particular room, too. I will place it at the disposal of my friends when they come to town and want to visit me. When there is a prisoner of prominence to deal with, we can assign him to my star chamber and he will be surrounded with all the comforts of home, and will be little inconvenienced by a short imprisonment in jail."

A Year of Blood.

The year 1903 will long be remembered in the home of F. N. Tackett, of Alliance, Ky., as a year of blood; which flowed so copiously from Mr. Tackett's lungs that death seemed very near. He writes: "Severe bleeding from the lungs and a frightful cough had brought me at death's door, when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, with the astonishing result that after taking four bottles I was completely restored and as time has proven permanently cured." Guaranteed for sore lungs, coughs and colds, at McPherson's Drug Store. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Hailstones as Large as Baseballs in Nebraska.

Franklin, Neb., May 23.—This section was this afternoon visited by the most severe rain and hail storm ever known here. It rained for forty-five minutes hailstones as large as baseballs crashing through roofs, killing stock, smashing windows and destroying growing crops. This was followed by a rainstorm lasting more than an hour, during which nearly 5 inches of water fell. Railroad tracks were washed out in many places. The telephone and telegraph systems were prostrated so that details of the damage done cannot be obtained at this time.

Made Happy for Life.

Great happiness came into the home of S. C. Blair, school superintendent, at St. Albans, W. Va., when his little daughter was restored from the dreadful complaint he names. He says: "My little daughter had St. Vitus' Dance, which yielded to no treatment but grew steadily worse until as a last resort we tried Electric Bitters; and I rejoice to say, three bottles effected a complete cure." Quick, sure cure for nervous complaints, general debility, female weaknesses, impoverished blood and malaria. Guaranteed by McPherson's drug store. Price 50c.

Hurt in Collision.

Mrs. Edward Hall, wife of a barber on Boyd street, was injured in a collision on South Third street near Norton street last evening between 8 and 9 o'clock. Mr. Ed Joiner was driving a horse and collided with another vehicle. Both Joiner and Mrs. Hall were thrown out and in alighting Mrs. Hall sustained severe cuts and bruises about the head and arms, but fortunately no bones were broken.

Had a Close Call.

"A dangerous surgical operation, involving the removal of a malignant ulcer, as large as my hand, from my daughter's hip, was prevented by the application of Buckle's Arnica Salve," says A. C. Stickel, of Miletus, W. Va. "Persistent use of the Salve completely cured it." Cures cuts, burns and injuries. 25c at McPherson's drug store.

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The Phonograph and the Graft

By O. HENRY

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"They're a sharp crowd," he says, kind of fretful. "They're capitalized by a foreign syndicate after rubber, and they're loaded to the muzzle for bribing. I'm sick," goes on Mellinger, "of comic opera. I want to smell East river and wear suspenders again. At times I feel like throwing up my job, but I'm fool enough to be sort of proud of it. "There's Mellinger," they say here; "por Dios, you can't touch him with a million!" I'd like to take that record back and show it to Billy Renfrow some day, and that tightens my grip whenever I see a fat thing that I could corral just by winking one eye—and losing my graft. By George, they can't monkey with me; they know it! What money I get I make honest and spend it. Some day I'll make a pile and go back and eat caviare with Billy. Tonight I'll show you how to handle a bunch of corruptionists. I'll show them what Mellinger, private secretary, means when you spell it with the cotton and tissue paper off."

"Mellinger appears shaky and breaks his glass against the neck of the bottle. "I says to myself, 'White man, if I'm not mistaken, there's been a bait laid out where the tail of your eye could see it.'

"That night, according to arrangements, me and Henry took the phonograph to a room in a 'dobe house in a dirty side street, where the grass was knee high. 'Twas a long room, lit with smoky oil lamps. There was plenty of chairs and a table at the back end.

"By and by the invitations to the musicale came sliding in by pairs and threes and fours. Their color was of a diversity, running from a three days' smoked meerschaum to a patent leather polish. They were as polite as wax, being devastated with enjoyments to give Senor Mellinger the good evenings. I understood their Spanish talk—I ran a pumping engine two years in a Mexican silver mine and had it pat—but I never let on.

"Maybe fifty of 'em had come and was seated, when in slid the king bee, the governor of the district. Mellinger met him at the door and escorted him to the grand stand. When I saw that Latin man I knew that Mellinger, private secretary, had all the dances on his card taken. That was a big, squashy man, the color of a rubber overshoe, and he had an eye like a head waiter's.

"Mellinger explained, fluent, in the Castilian idioms, that the soul was disconcerted with joy at introducing to his respected friends America's greatest invention, the wonder of the age, Henry got the cue and run on an elegant brass band record, and the festivities became initiated. The governor or men has a bit of English under his hat, and when the music was choked off he says:

"Ver-r-ree fine. Gr-r-r-racias, the American gentlemen, the espesial mocco to as playe!"

"The table was a long one, and Henry and me sat at the end of it next the wall. The governor sat at the other end. Homer P. Mellinger stood at the side of it. I was just wondering how Mellinger was going to handle his crowd, when the home talent suddenly opened the services.

"That governor man was suitable for uprisings and policies. I judge he was ready kind of man, who took his own time.

"Do the American seniors understand Spanish?" he asked in his native accents.

"They do not," says Mellinger.

"Then listen," goes on the Latin man prompt. "The musicies are of sufficient prettiness, but not of necessity. Let us speak of business. I well know why we are here, since I observe my compatriots. You had a whisper yesterday, Senor Mellinger, of our proposals. Tonight we will speak out. We know that you stand in the president's favor, and we know your influence. The government will be changed. We know the worth of your services. We esteem your friendship and aid so much that—Mellinger raises his hand, but the governor man bottles him up. 'Do not speak until I have done.'

"The governor man then draws a package wrapped in paper from his pocket and lays it on the table by Mellinger's hand.

"In that you will find \$100,000 in money of your country. You can do nothing against us, but you can be worth that for us. Go back to the capital and obey our instructions. Take that money now. We trust you. You will find it a paper giving in detail the work you will be expected to do for us. Do not have the unwise ness to refuse."

"The governor man paused, with his eyes fixed on Mellinger, full of expressions and observances. I looked at Mellinger and was glad Billy Renfrow couldn't see him then. The sweat was popping out on his forehead, and he stood dumb, tapping the little package with the ends of his fingers. The Colorado maduro gang was after his graft. He had only to change his politics and stuff six figures in his inside pocket."

"Henry whispers to me and wants the pause in the programme interpreted. I whisper back, 'H. P. is up against a bribe, senator's size, and the coons have got him going.' I saw Mellinger's hand moving closer to the package. 'He's weakening,' I whispered to Henry. 'We'll remind him,' says Henry, 'of the peanut roaster on Thirty-fourth street, New York.'

"Henry stooped and got a record from the basketful we'd brought, slid it in the phonograph and started her off. It was a cornet solo, very neat and beautiful, and the name of it was 'Home, Sweet Home.' Not one of them fifty odd men in the room moved while

it was playing, and the governor man kept his eyes steady on Mellinger. I saw Mellinger's head go up little by little, and his hand came creeping away from the package. Not until the fast note sounded did anybody stir, and then Homer P. Mellinger takes up the bundle of boodle and slams it in the governor man's face.

"That's my answer," says Mellinger, private secretary, "and there'll be another in the morning. I have proofs of conspiracy against every man of the show is over, gentlemen."

"There's one more act," puts in the governor man. "You are a servant, I believe, employed by the president to



All me and Mellinger had to do was to follow."

copy letters and answer raps at the door. I am governor here. Seniors, I call upon you in the name of the cause to seize this man!"

"That brindled gang of conspirators shoved back their chairs and advanced in force. I could see where Mellinger had made a mistake in massing his enemy so as to make a grand stand. I think he made another one, too, but we can pass that. Mellinger's idea of graft and mine being different, according to estimations and points of view.

"There was only one window and door in that room, and they were in the front end. Here was fifty odd Latin men coming in a bunch to obstruct the legislation of Mellinger. You may say there was three of us, for me and Henry, simultaneous, declared New York city and the Cherokee Nation in sympathy with the weaker party.

"Then it was that Henry Horsecollier rose to a point of disorder and intervened, showing admirable advantages of education as applied to the American Indian's natural intellect and native refinement. He stood up and smoothed back his hair on each side with his hands as you have seen little girls do when they play.

"Get behind me, both of you," says Henry.

"What is it to be?" I asked.

"I'm going to buck center," says Henry, in his football idioms. "There isn't a tackle in the lot of them. Keep close behind me and rush the fence."

"That cultured red man exhaled an arrangement of sounds with his mouth that caused the Latin aggregation to pause with thoughtfulness and hesitations. The matter of his proclamation seemed to be a co-operation of the Cherokee college yell with the Carlisle war whoop. He went at the chocolate team like the flip of a little boy's nigger shooter. His right elbow laid out the governor man on the gridiron, and he made a lane the length of the crowd that a woman could have carried a stepladder through without striking anything. All me and Mellinger had to do was to follow."

"In five minutes we were out of that street and at the military headquarters, where Mellinger had things his own way."

"The next day Mellinger takes me and Henry to one side and begins to shed tens and twenties.

"I want to buy that phonograph," he says. "I liked that last tune it played. Now, you boys better go back home, for they'll give you trouble before I can get the screws put on 'em. If you happen to ever see Billy Renfrow again, tell him I'm coming back to New York as soon as I can make a start—honest!"

"This is more money," says I, "than the machine is worth."

"'Tis government expense money," says Mellinger, "and the government's getting the tune grinder cheap."

"Henry and I knew that pretty well, but we never let Homer P. Mellinger know that we had seen how near he came to losing his graft."

"We laid low until the day the steamer came back. When we saw the captain's boat on the beach me and Henry went down and stood in the edge of the water. The captain grinned when he saw us."

"I told you you'd be waithin'," he says. "Where's the Hamburger machine?"

"It stays behind," I says, "to play 'Home, Sweet Home.'"

"I told you so," says the captain again. "Climb in the boat."

"And that," said Kirksey, "is the way me and Henry Horsecollier introduced the phonograph in that Latin country along about the vicinity of South America."

THE END.

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Automobile Axle Snaps.

The rear axle of Mr. James Weillie's automobile snapped in two last evening while he and his mother, wife and child, were riding on Fountain avenue. The rear of the machine came down in the street and wheel parted from the body of the machine. The occupants of the automobile were not pitched out, and escaped injury other than a shaking up.

Sold by Alvey & List.

Growing Aches and Pains.

Mrs. Josie Sumner, Bremond, Tex., writes, April 15, 1902: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family for three years. I would not be without it in the house. I have used it on my little girl for growing pains and aches in her knees. It cured her right away. I have also used it for frost bitten feet, with good success. It is the best liniment I ever used." 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

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Little Boy Run Over.

Barnett Maloat, aged 8 years, son of Patrick Maloat, of South Third street, was run over by a horse and buggy Tuesday morning and his leg broken. W. A. Campbell was driving the horse and the little fellow ran across the street directly in the way of the animal. Campbell could not rein up quick enough to avoid striking the boy.

Sold by Alvey & List.

A Positive Necessity.

Having to lay upon my bed for 14 days from a severely bruised leg, I only found relief when I used a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. I can cheerfully recommend it as the best medicine for bruises ever sent to the afflicted. It has now become a positive necessity upon myself.

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Blake Godfrey's Success.

Blake Godfrey, formerly secretary of the Paducah Y. M. C. A., has accepted the position of secretary of the association at Dayton, O., one of the biggest and most successful associations in the country. His good fortune in securing the position will be shared by Paducah admirers. He had been doing work for the state association since leaving Paducah, and was located at Louisville.

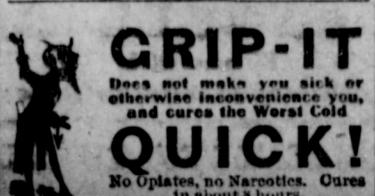
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Ascension Day.

Tomorrow is Ascension Day, and will be celebrated by the St. Francis de Sales Catholic church with mass at 7 o'clock a. m. and again at 9 o'clock in the morning. The Ascension took place just forty days after the Resurrection and tomorrow is the 10th day since Easter.



RESCUE HOMES

MODEL TO WORLD, SAYS COMMANDER EVA BOOTH.

She Defends Army Against Alleged Statements Made By Edwin Selenberger.

New York, May 23.—A reply is sued today by Commander Miss Eva Booth, of the Salvation army, to statements said to have been made recently by Edwin D. Selenberger, general manager of the associated charities of Minneapolis, in a paper read before the thirty-third national congress of charities and correction in Philadelphia, says the declaration that the Salvation army relief work as carried on through its homes, lodging houses and other agencies is poorly organized and poorly administered, and that the so-called work of the army is largely subservient to financial interest, is unjust and untrue.

Denying Mr. Selenberger's statement that the army's social work was poorly organized and poorly administered, Miss Booth says:

"Our social officers are specially trained and instructed for this particular branch. The work is thoroughly organized and carefully administered."

The reply continues:

"Our rescue homes are a model to the world. In many localities these rescue homes constantly care for cases handed over to them by associated charities, and in the city of New York its rescue homes have taken direct from the city hospitals with the city ambulances, poor, unfortunate mothers and their babies, and have looked after them and their infants without a single cent of financial grant from the city for their support."

In conclusion Miss Booth says Mr. Selenberger recently wrote a letter endorsing the work of the Salvation army.

RENT PAYS FOR LAND.

Fertile Sections of the Southwest. Where Land Sells for \$15 and Rents for \$5 Per Acre.

One of the remarkable things about about Eastern Arkansas and Northern Louisiana is the fact that cleared land rents for \$5 per acre cash, and can be bought for \$7.50 to \$15 per acre. It costs from \$6 to \$10 an acre to clear it. Other improvements necessary are slight and inexpensive.

The soil is rich alluvial, or made, It produces a bale of cotton per acre worth \$45 to \$60. This accounts for its high rental value. Other crops such as corn, small grains, grasses, vegetables and fruits thrive as well.

Alfalfa yields 4 to 6 cuttings, a ton to a cutting, and brings \$10 to \$16 per ton.

In other sections of these states, and in Texas as well, the rolling or hill-land is especially adapted to stock raising and fruit growing. Land is very cheap, \$5 to \$10 per acre; improved farms \$10, \$15 to \$25 per acre.

The new White River country offers many opportunities for settlers. High, rolling, fine water—it is naturally adapted to stock and fruit raising. Can be bought as low as \$2 per acre.

The Missouri Pacific Mountain System Lines sell reduced rate round-trip tickets on 47st and third Tuesdays of each month to points in the West and Southwest, good returning 21 days, with stop-overs. For descriptive literature, maps, time tables, etc., write to

R. T. G. MATTHEWS, Traveling Passenger Agent, Louisville, Ky., or

H. C. TOWNSEND, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, St. Louis, Mo.

Public Sale of Franchise.

Paducah, Ky., May 7, 1902. I will offer for sale, at the city hall door, on the 30th day of May, 1902, between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock a. m., a franchise for operating a street railway in the city of Paducah, in accordance with an ordinance recently passed ordering such sale, and in accordance with the terms and conditions reserved in such ordinance.

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**REAL ESTATE
MORTGAGES &
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Good 4 room house on Harrison St. between 17th and 19th in Fountain Park on 50 by 165 ft. lot at \$1025 cash.

Lot on Tennessee St. between 8th and 9th at \$375 cash.

Some bargains for colored people in homes on monthly payments:

See This.

Good 4 room house on lot 40 by 165 ft. on South Side of Madison St. between 13th and 14th, only \$800, of this \$50 cash and balance in monthly payments. Get home with your rent money.

Have other houses to see on same class payments as low as \$650.

New, nice, 4-room house with hall, front and back porches, bath and hot and cold water connections, shade trees, 50 foot lot on North Madison street between 16th and Fountain avenue in Fountain park. Excellent home at \$1,800.

Four-room cottage in first rate condition on North Seventh street at \$950.

Thirteen-room house, lot 90 by 173 feet to alley, 2 bath rooms, sewer connections, hot and cold water throughout, all modern equipments can be used as single or double residence location best residence section of city. Nos. 419 and 421 N. Seventh street. Price \$5,500, only \$1,500 cash and balance on 4 years' time.

412 South 9th St., 6-room cottage at \$1700.

418 South 9th St., 6 room cottage at \$1800.

Excellent rental investment, two houses, 5 and 3 rooms, corner lot, sewer connections, houses nearly new, no repairs needed, rents \$25 month at \$2,000.

712 Goebel avenue, 4 rooms in good fix with stable at \$1200.

New, 2 story, 7 room house, nice and well appointed, Ft. Ave., corner lot, fronting on Lang park at only \$2750.

No. 503 Fountain avenue, N W corner Harrison and Fountain avenue; very desirable location; six-room cottage, in excellent condition. Water inside. Price \$3,000.

Two pieces of land, 10 1/2 acres each, one near Wallace Park; best bargain of its class to be had about the city. Price \$125 acre. One-third cash and balance in one and two years. Other offer is about 3 miles out on Cairo road. Excellent dry land and first-class site; frontage on road for residence. Price \$850.

Some fine offers in farms near the city which will rise in value rapidly. Details given on inquiry.

A few more lots unsold in the Terrell Fountain Park addition at \$250 each on payments of \$25 cash and balance \$5 per month. These are the best monthly payment lots now to be had about the city and will soon be gone. More future rise in value in these lots than any you can get for homes.

One Madison street Fountain Park corner lot at \$600. Last chance for a corner lot in that addition at such a price.

Nice 9-room N. 5th house in four blocks of postoffice; on easy payments, at \$4,000.

For Sale—Six-room cottage, on S. E. corner 7th and Harrison; lot 57 ft. 9 inches by 165 feet; stable, servants' house; on long, easy payments. Only \$500 cash. See me for details and get home in best residence part of north side.

Chance for colored people. Have half dozen houses for sale at prices \$500 to \$1000 on very easy payments. Small cash and afterwards by the month.

Now is the time to get small places for country homes. Can sell nice lots from 5 acres up in very desirable location, near electric cars.

9-room house, 5 blocks from post office, north side, sewer connected, in best part of city, at \$3,500, of this only \$500 cash, balance \$30 month.

Three houses on N E corner 6th and Ohio streets which rent at \$33 a month. Price \$2500. Fine investment.

No. 1141 Clay street; new, 5-room brick cottage, water inside, one of nicest cottages to be found. Price \$1800; only \$50 cash, balance payments of 1, 2 and 3 years.

Joining 1141 have 67 feet vacant which will sell alone or with the brick cottage. Easy terms.

Don't forget that I have at all times plenty of money to loan on farm mortgages at six per cent interest ten years time.

First-class business property on both Second and Third streets near Broadway. Best chance to be had in this line of investment. Ask for details.

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IN THE CANNIBAL ISLANDS.



The Missionary: "Good day, my brother. I am pleased to meet you. I am on my way into the interior."

The Brother: "You are, person, you are. You've got the facts right this time, anyhow."

**INSURANCE RATE
IS NOT CHANGED****BIG TOURNAMENT
BY LOCAL SHOTS****No Definite Time For Re-rating
In Paducah.****Talk of Two Clubs Uniting For
The Occasion.****CITY MUST AWAIT ITS TURN, ALTHOUGH,
ALL REQUIREMENTS HAVE
BEEN MET.****TRYING TO ELIMINATE CONFLICTS IN DATES
SET BY OTHER CITIES FOR
MEETS.****INSPECTOR GILSDORF IS BUSY****PLANS ARE GOING FORWARD**

The matter of a re-rating of fire insurance in Paducah is still uncertain for this year, according to the opinion of William Gilsdorf, inspector for the State Board of Underwriters. Mr. Gilsdorf stated this morning that Paducah would have to wait her turn, and that her turn may not come for some time yet.

The insurance boards threatened to raise rates unless the fire department be improved and enlarged. This was done and a raise averted. The wiring has been overhauled and an inspector is created. This with the additional fire fighting facilities will help a great deal towards effecting a decrease, but when it will come is the question not decided.

"When the fire rating book is so badly marked up that it means a new one, then the re-rating will begin," Inspector Gilsdorf stated today. "I can say now that this will be, but understand that the book is pretty badly marked now. The fire map made recently really has nothing to do with the matter of re-rating the city, but of course, will be used in the work. The map was made for the companies doing business in Paducah to see clearly the location, the risks, and all information relative to the class of buildings.

"My work in Paducah from indications will be brief. I have just re-rated a manufacturing plant in Kuttawa and have other small towns to work. Paducah's wiring seems to be good and is being improved. I have made a hasty inspection of the work already done and will make a more minute examination before I go; but as to when the re-rating in Paducah will begin I do not know."

\$300,000 for 'Frisc'.

The Presbyterian general assembly at Des Moines unanimously adopted a resolution calling upon the Presbyterian churches of America to raise \$300 for the relief of the churches which suffered from the San Francisco disaster.

Preacher Suicides.

Bowed down by the weight of years and deserted by friends and relatives the Rev. Charles Dinglidle hanged himself in Campbell county. His body was found in a secluded place, swinging from a limb of a tree.

Madamoiselle Ismar**Egyptian Palmist and Clairvoyant.**

A descendant of a race of people who have been clairvoyants for ages, her reading of your past, present and future life will amaze you. No one can afford to be without the assistance she can give, for she advises with a certainty higher than human power. Advice given on all matters pertaining to business, love, speculations, etc. Reunites the separated, overcomes bad luck and sorrow of all kinds. Tells names and gives descriptions without asking a question. Her parlor is located at The Inn, 317 N. Seventh St. Hours 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

For one week only her celebrated \$50 readings for \$1.00.

The Moore Suit.
The suit of Detective T. J. Moore against the city of Paducah was tried before R. T. Lightfoot, county judge yesterday afternoon, but he is holding the case open for further evidence. Detective Moore sues for wages he claims due. He was laid off the force when a new ordinance cutting the police force was adopted. He claims he was appointed for one year by the fire and police commissioners, and his salary is due whether he works or not.

Eugene Charity Dismissed.

Eugene Charity, who was arrested and held several hours by Chief Collins yesterday on suspicion of being wanted in Mound City for the theft of brasses, was later in the evening released. The Mound City authorities could find no warrant or charge against him.

Won Lung Sam a San Francisco Chinaman, is getting rich selling ice cream in Singapore.

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SAW PICTURE**AND SOME NIGHT THIEVES ROBBED HIS HEN HOUSE.****Remarkable Experience of Conductor Hogwood, Who Laughed at Ludicrous Scene.**

L. Hogwood, of South Fourth street, the well known N. C. & St. L. railroad conductor, relates a remarkable coincidence. He has just returned from Memphis where he and his family visited a few days, and while his experience was amusing, was costly. "I took my family into one of those moving picture shows," he explained at the depot this morning, "and one of the most interesting scenes exhibited by the machine was a chicken thief. The picture was clear and showed the operation of robbing a chicken house from start to finish. It impressed me very strongly, because I had a lot of towels at home, some of very fine breed."

"I thought no more of it, show until I arrived home and imagine my feelings to find all my prize chickens gone. My hen house had been entered on the night I saw the show and robbed of eleven of my finest fowls."

Mr. Hogwood, however, is not the only Paducah resident suffering the loss of chickens. A chicken thief has been operating in Paducah for several weeks, and coops all over the city have been robbed.

We wish to announce the arrival of the daintiest assortment of summer footgear for the ladies ever shown in Paducah. If there's anything new or dainty in Oxfords or Slippers we have it. White ones are bound to be more popular than ever this season. We have them in duck, kid and calf. The calf ones are really the most economical in the long run, for they don't scuff so easily and hold their shape and keep fresh and clean indefinitely. For the rest, we have the most fetching Oxfords and Slippers in gray, black and tan kid suede and calf.

Prices from \$1.50 to \$5.

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Itching pills is constant torment—so is eczema.

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No use to go to bed.

Suffer no longer; use Doan's Ointment. It gives relief in five or ten minutes. It cures in a short time—cures you to stay cured. Paducah people endorse it.

J. R. Womble, of 1005 South Fourth street, carpenter by trade, says: "For six years itching hemorrhoids were the bane of my existence. During the day when overheated I suffered and at night my rest was disturbed. I tried everything about which I read or which friends and acquaintances advised me to try, still the hemorrhoids existed. The first application of Doan's Ointment procur'd at Alvey & Liu's drug store gave me relief. After the second day's treatment I slept the succeeding night like a child. It is nearly three months since I stopped the use of Doan's Ointment and there has been no sign of a return. This should leave no doubt in the minds of Paducah people about the merits of that preparation."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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